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Dear Sir:

More than fifteen months have passed since the filing of this application on April 1, 2004. No communication has been received from the Patent and Trademark Office indicating action on this application. Thus, it is respectfully requested that Applicants' attorney be informed of the status of the application as soon as possible.

Respectfully submitted,
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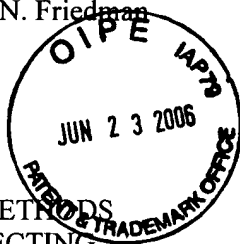
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Dear Sir:

Enclosed herewith is a Status Inquiry for J. Henslee & P.N. Friedman, for:
REAGENTS AND METHODS USEFUL FOR DETECTING DISEASES OF THE BREAST,
the specification of which was filed on April 1, 2004, and received Serial No. 10/816,326.

Also enclosed is a return-receipt postcard.

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